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May 20, 1971

Mr. R. N. Hogan  
Figueroa Church of Christ  
455 West 57th Street  
Los Angeles, California

Dear Brother Hogan:

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Enclosed you will find pictures of my book Three American Revolutions and a suggest article for The Echo. The article should be run at the same time the picture is run, if at all possible. The article explains how Southwestern Christian College scholarship fund workers can order the books for resale at a 40% profit. In view of the number of congregations that have already used the book for this purpose and found it very successful, I am hoping that other congregations will decide to do likewise. Anything we can do to to further support a college is necessary and good. I, of course, am personally interested in seeing as many copies of Three American Revolutions distributed as possible.

You may have learned of my recent decision to leave Highland and begin working with the Sweet Publishing Company in Austin. There I will be Executive Editor for the R. B. Sweet Company. At the same time I will be doing some graduate study at the University of Texas. My decision in no way regards "leaving the Pulpit." I have no intentions of doing that. I do need to spend special time with my two children right now in order for them to properly develop into the kind of Christians needed ~~in our time~~ in our time. I also feel there is a real challenge as Executive Editor of the R. B. Sweet Company and further I want to see a little more clearly where my best role as a follower of Jesus Christ may be for the next twenty to thirty years. Your prayers regarding this move will be deeply appreciated.

It was beautiful getting to be with you at Cleveland. I thought the Lectureship outstanding and enjoyed so much the fellowship of the week.

May the Lord bless all that you and yours are doing in His name in Los Angeles.

Fraternally yours,

John Allen Chalk  
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